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For

MOLECULES COMPRISING A CALCINEURIN-LIKE BINDING POCKET AND ENCODED DATA STORAGE MEDIUM CAPABLE OF GRAPHICALLY DISPLAYING

THEM

New York, New York September 20, 2001

Hon. Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

AMENDMENT AND REPLY TO OFFICE ACTION

Sir:

This is in reply to the June 20, 2001 Office Action in the above-identified application.

Kindly amend the application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS

Please amend claims 19-24 as follows:

19. (Twice amended) A method for evaluating the ability of a chemical entity to associate with a crystallized